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C O N F I D E N T I A L NEW DELHI 11459

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: EAID, IN, US

SUBJECT: TITLE 1 PL-480 AID TO INDIA

REF: STATE 188709

1. IF POSSIBLE, WE WOULD HOPE YOU MIGHT HOLD OFF ANSWERING QUESTIONS ON WHETHER THE INDIANS HAVE OFFICIALLY ASKED FOR FOOD. I REPORTED THAT THEY HAD DONE SO TO SWARAN SINGH YESTERDAY, WHO WAS CANDID ENOUGH TO SAY IT WAS THE FIRST HE HAD HEARD OF IT. IT IS NOW WEDNESDAY EVENING. I HAVE HAD NO REPLY FROM MY MONDAY MORNING NOTE TO P.N. DHAR ASKING COULD WE TALK ABOUT THIS REQUEST. OBVIOUSLY THE GOVERNMENT IS IN DISARRAY OVER THE ISSUE. LAST WEEK K.B. LALL ASKED A LUNCHEON MEETING HERE OF EEC AMBASSADORS FOR FOOD, BUT WOULD NOT SAY HE WAS ASKING IN AN OFFICIAL CAPACITY.

2. WE FEAR THAT IF THE REQUEST BECOMES PUBLIC THE GOVERNMENT WILL DEFEND ITSELF BY EXAGGERATING WHAT IT IS, IF ANYTHING, THEY WILL BE GETTING FROM US. WHATEVER INDIA GETS -- AGAIN, IF INDIA GETS ANYTHING --WE WOULD WANT THEM TO GET FROM THE SECRETARY WHEN HE VISITS. MIND, YOU MAY HAVE NOT CONTROL OVER THE EVENT, AND WE WILL UNDERSTAND FULLY IF THE STORY BREAKS.  
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